

K-7493



NPIC/CSD-138/66  
11 MARCH 1966  
PAGE 6

25X1

HIGHWAY BRIDGE  
DIEN BIEN PHU, NORTH VIETNAM  
2123N 10301E



25X1


1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD DEPICTS THE CONTINUING EFFORT BY THE NORTH VIETNAMESE TO NEGATE THE EFFECTS OF AIR STRIKES AGAINST DRV TRANSPORTATION NETS.

2. LOCATION:

THE PHOTOGRAPHY REVEALS A PROBABLY UNSERVICEABLE HIGHWAY BRIDGE LOCATED ON THE NORTH EDGE OF DIEN BIEN PHU, BETWEEN ROUTES 19 AND 191, OVER THE NAM YOUN (RIVER) AND A SERVICEABLE BY-PASS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE BRIDGE SITE.

3. MISSION READOUT:

 REVEALS APPARENT CONSTRUCTION ON THE PROBABLY UNSERVICEABLE DIEN BIEN PHU HIGHWAY BRIDGE OVER THE NAM YOUN (RIVER). A SERVICEABLE BY-PASS FORD IS OBSERVED IMMEDIATELY TO THE SOUTH OF THE BRIDGE. NUMEROUS OLD AND A FEW NEW BOMB CRATERS ARE OBSERVED IN THE VICINITY OF THE BRIDGE.

25X1



25X1

These notes have been prepared for briefing purposes only and should not be used for detailed analytical work. Their use should be restricted to the particular briefing board(s) they were prepared for and must be considered valid only for the reporting period as indicated by the date of issue.

**CONFIDENTIAL**

CONFIDENTIAL

Approved For Release 2007/11/13 : CIA-RDP80T01471R001500120003-1

25X1



**HIGHWAY BRIDGE  
DIEN BIEN PHU, NORTH VIETNAM  
21-23N 103-01E**



25X1

CONFIDENTIAL

Approved For Release 2007/11/13 : CIA-RDP80T01471R001500120003-1